

# Hotels, Apartment Houses, Open

## Viewpoints of a Villager

MAYOR PHILIP L. BOYD

(This is the first of a series of articles, written by prominent Palm Springs residents that will appear weekly in The Desert Sun this season. This series of articles will bring to the readers of this newspaper the worthwhile viewpoints and ideas of prominent villagers on various subjects of interest. The writer in each case will choose his own subject, and the column that week is his own to do with as he sees fit. The column this week belongs to Mayor Philip Boyd, Editor.)

I am pleased that The Desert Sun has used the word "village" in the title of its new column. It has never seemed to me to be consistent with the natural simplicity of this unique location to imagine that we could ever have a city here.

I hope that incorporation can bring to the community the insurance that its distinctive village charm will be protected against the invasion of city distractions. This does not mean that I am in any way opposed to its steady, healthy growth. On the contrary many desirable new residents and guests will undoubtedly be attracted by an increase in well planned improvements to provide for more cultural and health advantages and additional entertainment and recreational facilities. For example almost untouched in development is the Indian Reservation. The real "Palm Springs" owned by our friends the local tribe of Agua Caliente Indians should become a world renowned Spa. These Indians themselves are not fully understood or appreciated. Their arts and customs should be encouraged and revived.

With European countries closed to the world traveller, a renewed interest in California and the Desert will be shown. Nature has given us an unexcelled location in an unrivalled climate. It is a challenge to all of us here to create and maintain a village of simple charm which can deserve this exceptional setting, and arouse the enthusiasm of our visitors.

Seeking improvement in health I came to Palm Springs in November eighteen years ago. I shall never forget my first morning's impression of the clean, dry, invigorating air and the clear view of our snow capped mountain ranges. At that moment I knew that I had found the spot in which I wanted to live. Although fully recovered in health several years ago, I cannot now live happily anywhere else. My debt to Palm Springs can never be fully repaid. To me it is both an honor and a privilege to have been selected to serve on our first city council. While setting up a new organization always requires time and patience, and the results of our undertaking seem slow in appearing, I am confident that real progress has been made. I know that there is a sincere desire among civic leaders to solicit local cooperation, advice and understanding.

Today, I believe we have reached a critical period of our town's development. Tolerant of each other's opinions, and united in our common purpose of building a finer village, I think we can look forward optimistically to the future.

## Smart Thief Swipes Car From Front Yard

The Ford coupe owned by Mr. and Mrs. William Prendergast was stolen last night, Thursday, from the front yard of their residence—only three days after they had purchased the car from Schilling Motor Sales.

The car was a 1938 Ford. It was stolen between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. right from under the very window of the Prendergast's bedroom.

The theft was reported to Palm Springs police early this morning.

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## NITE SPOT VS. INDIO TONIGHT

What should prove to be one of the hardest fought nightball games ever to be played in Palm Springs will take place tonight, Friday, at 8 o'clock when the newly-organized Nite Spot Cafe nine tangles with the fast Indio Merchants outfit.

The Nite Spot only recently threw its hat in the ring of the local nightball circuit, but they have already served notice on the rest of the teams in the loop that they are to be taken seriously by winning their first two games, one from the strong Builders' Supply club.

The game tonight will be played on the local diamond at the Palm Springs Field Club, and a large crowd is expected to turn out for this fast game.

Line-up for the Nite Spot Cafe tonight will be as follows: Charles Belue, c; Hank Allen, p; Earl Hough, 1b; "Smitty," 2b; Bruno Leoncio, ss; Leo Wills, 3b; Lee Knight, lf; Frank Gaudiello, cf; Kenny Guild, rf.

## CHICAGO HOTEL MAN AT AMBASSADOR FOR WINTER

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wallace of Chicago, owners of a Chicago hotel, have taken an apartment at the Ambassador for the winter season.

Their son, Charles, is being tutored in Palm Springs.

## TIED FOR LEAGUE TOP HONORS



Here is the hard-hitting, brainy-playing Palm Springs Builders' Supply nightball club, captained by Milton Hicks, prominent desert sportsman. The Builders Supply outfit is tied for first place in the local nightball league with the Gardeners, another fine ball club. The players in the picture are, left to right, as follows: Bottom row—Clarence Purnell, Tony Rodrigue, Blake Neville, Captain Milton Hicks and Sid Canales. Top row—Rudy Salazar, Merle Boyle, Bob Gauff, Lloyd Gauff, Albert Heiser and Gerry Shill.

## City Clean-up Campaign Gets Underway Here Starting Next Week

With the city's two-week clean-up campaign scheduled to get under way next week, Mayor Philip L. Boyd has broadcast an appeal for residents to report to the city offices spots in the village that are in particular need of cleaning. The campaign will be in progress during the first two weeks of October.

City officials are conducting a survey of the village to determine areas that need thorough cleaning in order that a complete clean-up can be possible.

During the campaign residents

and business people are urged to clean-up their premises. Also city officials have asked that owners of vacant lots please rake up the tin cans, bottles and other rubbish on their lots, and, if possible, clear the lots of brush.

The rubbish gathered in cleaning business and residential premises and vacant lots, if placed in containers at the edge of the street, will be picked up and hauled away free of charge by the city. This free hauling away of refuse has no connection with the regular charges for city garbage collection service, according to Mayor Boyd, and only applies to trash such as old tin cans, beer bottles, paper, yard rakkings and other debris. Garbage and tree and hedge trimmings will not be hauled away free of charge by the city.

City officials have stressed the point that trash that is to be picked up free of charge by the city trucks must be placed at the edge of the street in containers. The city workmen cannot and will not go on private property to pick up trash.

This clean-up campaign is being conducted to help make Palm Springs a cleaner, finer more beautiful place in which to live.

## E. F. Hutton & Co. Stock Brokers Open Oct. 2

The Palm Springs office of E. F. Hutton & Company, stock brokers, located on Palm Canyon Drive on the grounds of the Desert Inn, will open its doors for the season, Monday, October 2.

The board will be in operation Monday.

## City Council Meeting Wednesday

The regular monthly meeting of the Palm Springs city council for October will be held Wednesday night, October 4, 7:30 o'clock, in the council chambers, 480 N. Palm Canyon Drive.

It is believed that all councilmen will be present at this meeting.

## Desert Inn Enterprizes Open Monday

Many of the Desert Inn enterprizes will get started next week, although the famous Desert Inn itself will not open until the last week in October.

The popular Village Coffee Shop, the Desert Inn Barber Shop, Vanity Box Beauty Salon and the Village Inn all open for the season Monday, October 2. The local office of E. F. Hutton & Company, stock brokers, located on the grounds of the Desert Inn, also open Monday.

## STORM BRINGS 1.51 INCHES RAIN TO PALM SPRINGS; LITTLE DAMAGE HERE

### RAINFALL TABLE FOR PALM SPRINGS

Sept. 24	1.34
Sept. 25	.17
Storm	1.51
Season	3.62
Last season	.32
Total last season	6.24

Breaking last week's hot spell and bringing Palm Springs' total rainfall for the month of September up to 3.62 inches, the record-breaking storm that hit Southern California last Sunday morning, practically destroying the date crop in the Coachella Valley and causing untold loss of life and destruction of property along the Southern California coast, did but little damage to "America's Foremost Desert Resort."

City Street Superintendent G. K. Sanborn Wednesday estimated that it would cost the city only about \$100 to repair the damage caused by the rain to the streets of Palm Springs. A considerable amount of water was running in Tachevah Wash Monday morning, depositing dirt on Palm Canyon Drive at the corner of Granvia Valmonte. A little of the asphalt paving at the corner of Indian

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### Palm Springs Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Sept. 23	103	72
Sept. 24	101	72
Sept. 25	81	66
Sept. 26	76	57
Sept. 27	85	57
Sept. 28	88	54

## Important C. of C. Board Meeting Wednesday

An important meeting of the board of directors of the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce to discuss plans for the current season has been called for next Wednesday afternoon, two o'clock, in the Chamber of Commerce office on North Palm Canyon Drive in the Herbert Carpenter building.

Publicity, advertising, pledges and other pressing matters will be discussed at the meeting, and President Charles B. Hinkle has urged that all board members be on deck for this very important affair.

## Season Gets Going; Hotels and Apts. Prepare For Busy Season

The weather on the desert is now delightful, the early rains this fall have cooled the atmosphere remarkably, so with the opening of many well known Palm Springs hotels and apartment houses this week end another unforgettable desert winter season will get underway.

The Palm Springs Hotel will open tomorrow. By Sunday the dining room and popular Luau Cocktail Lounge will also be going.

The El Morocco Hotel, dining room and Algiers Cocktail rendezvous will open Sunday.

The House of Murphy, hotel and apartments, has been open since Sept. 15. This hostelry was greatly enlarged this summer.

The Village Inn will open Monday, Oct. 2.

The Royal Palms Hotel, Royal Palms Cocktail Lounge, Royal Palms Annex and Apartments were open all summer. So were the famous Ambassador Apartments and Harry Mutascio's new El Dorado Hotel.

Frank Pershing and R. F. Outcault's well known Town House and Bungalows opens its doors Sunday, October 1. Estrella Villas on the same street is already open, although some redecorating is still in progress. Mrs. Emma Hathaway's Los Arboles Apart-

## Police Seek To Build Pistol Range

Chief of Police W. H. Bispham and his men are making plans for a regulation police pistol and rifle range that they hope to erect this season at the "old rodeo grounds" at the foot of the mountains behind Las Palmas Estates.

The land proposed to be used for this purpose is the property of the Agua Caliente Indians, but the Indians, through Chief Willie Marcus, have virtually given their consent for police to use the land for a range. However, Chief Bispham and his men are

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## Agreement Between Forline and Indians Received; Not Yet Signed by Contracting Parties

The contract, approved by the U. S. Department of the Interior but not yet signed by the contracting parties, between the Agua Caliente Indians and John M. Forline was received last week at the local Indian office. This contract does not go into effect, however, until signed by both Mr. Forline and two Indians acting for the tribe.

The agreement between Mr. Forline and the Indians, which has been approved as to form by the U. S. D. I., provides that the Indians have the authority "to enter into and execute a contract of employment with John M. Forline for an initial period of three years upon such terms and conditions as they may deem proper; provided that the compensation to be paid to the tribal agent and business manager out of tribal funds shall be limited to a salary of \$3,000 per annum, payable monthly, plus his reasonable and necessary expenses, not to exceed \$750 per year."

### Many Duties

The contract designates in five and one-half full pages what are the multitudinous duties of Mr. Forline as tribal counsellor. Some of the duties of the tribal counsellor, as outlined in the agreement, are as follows:

1. Manage the business affairs of the tribe in accordance with

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## Local Police See Machine Gun Demonstrated

Representing the Federal Laboratories, Don Wallace, former Palm Springs stables operator, was in the village Thursday and demonstrated to local officers and a representative of the police commission the effectiveness and many advantages of the Thompson Submachine Gun. The local police department is contemplating the purchase of one of these weapons so feared by the underworld. The cost of an outfit is \$280 new.

Wallace also demonstrated to local officers the latest approved methods for disarming a person, methods of putting captured criminals and drunks into cars and how an officer can cope with a man that pulls a gun on him.

The Thompson Submachine Gun, manufactured during the

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## Sequoia Apartments Sold in \$25,000 Deal

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woolhouse, who spent last season in Palm Springs, have become owners of the Sequoia Apartments in a deal recently completed. It is reported that the purchase price was \$25,000. The apartments were sold by Inez Haines, the former owner.

Though not officially open until December 1, the apartments are now open, according to the new owners.



## BOWLERS ASKED TO REGISTER FOR LEAGUE PLAY

Herbert "Tod" Tomlinson of the Palm Springs Bowling Academy has asked that all men and women bowlers interested in competing in the commercial bowling league this season leave their names next week at the bowling academy. This also applies to all firms wishing to sponsor a team.

League bowlers may practice and have free instruction during the day, only pay being for the "line."

Also starting immediately will be a special "novis" matinee. In the afternoons, persons wishing to learn to bowl can receive free instruction, the only pay being for the "lines," and this at a reduced price for those learning to bowl.

## CITY RECREATION BOARD HOLDS MEETING

The city recreation board of seven members held its first meeting of the season this week. Merrill Crockett is chairman of this new city body, created last spring to take over the work of the Co-ordinating Council.

During the summer City Recreation board leased the site for the nightball diamond from the Field Club, thus making nightball possible here. The lease is for six months.

## DENTIST DON RUSH BACK IN VILLAGE

Dr. and Mrs. Don Rush, he a well known local dentist, have returned to the village for the season.

Dr. Rush's dental office is located on North Palm Canyon Drive, next to the El Morocco Hotel.

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## Canary Cottages Now Open

The Canary Cottages, 1220 N. Indian Avenue, are now open for the season according to Mr. L. A. Hancock, owner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hancock returned Tuesday from their summer vacation spent in Long Beach, Lake Arrowhead and the beaches.

## A. J. JENNERS BACK FOR SEASON FROM COAST

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jenner and daughter, Leona, have returned for the season and have opened their Grande Vista Apartments on North Palm Canyon Drive.

Lois Jenner, Mr. and Mrs. Jenner's older daughter, is now in her sophomore year in U.C.L.A. at Westwood.

Mrs. Jenner and the two girls enjoyed the summer at Newport Beach, where the Jenners own a summer cottage. Mr. Jenner divided his time between Palm Springs and Covina, and kept his business here open two days a week all summer.

## Plaza Cleaners Open for Business

Art Wills and Ray Martin are back and have opened their Plaza Cleaners for the season.

During the summer Mr. Martin was employed in Santa Ana. Art Wills operated a tailoring shop at Lake Arrowhead this summer.

Messrs. Wills and Martin have one of the most modern cleaning plants on the desert. They use the Dowlane method, said to be the very latest.

## AIRMAN LOSES WAY; LANDS AT LOCAL PORT

An airman who had lost his way landed at the airport last week and told George Annis that he had lost his way. The flyer was on his way to Cleveland, Ohio, from Los Angeles; and riding the wrong beam he landed in Palm Springs.

## NEW PIANO INSTALLED AT NELLIE COFFMAN SCHOOL

A new Wurlitzer spinet piano was installed at the Nellie N. Coffman School this week. Mr. H. S. Holley of the Holley Music House, Redlands, delivered it Thursday.

Mr. Holley also tuned the piano at the grammar school.

## Winter Resident Finds Pleasure In Gardening

During the clean-up campaign that the city will conduct for the first two weeks of October, villagers could well pattern themselves after Claude W. Freedom, whose beautiful home is located at the southwest corner of Tamarisk Road and Hermosa Drive.

On his way to the office every day this winter drives right past the interesting Freedom place and enjoys greatly watching the progress of Mr. Freedom's large garden. In this very large garden are various kinds of citrus trees, flowers, shrubs, and many kinds of desert cacti and plants. At the rear is a young citrus orchard of about half an acre. Almost every square foot of the grounds is planted to something.

Evidently this winter resident is very interested in gardening and is justly proud of his handiwork, for almost every time this winter drives past his place, and that is several times each day. Mr. Freedom is out watering, raking, planting or doing other work—and residents like this prolong the season. This man did not leave the village until about June 1, and he arrived back here early in September. (When a person has a fine garden in Palm Springs to worry about, he won't stay away from here very long.)

Anyone wondering what to plant in the sand of this desert can get some fine pointers by driving out past Mr. Freedom's yard—a trip well worth anybody's time.

## GUESTS AT PALM SPRINGS HOTEL

Among guests at the Palm Springs Hotel this week were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Burbank of San Francisco, he an attorney for the Associated Indemnity Company; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Provost of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene J. Sullivan of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Litsinger of Berkeley, and Mr. and Mrs. George Parkinson of Oakland.

## To Make Extensive Improvements at El Encanto

Extensive improvements and a large addition to El Encanto Apartments on South Palm Canyon Drive will be made by the new owner, George O. Relf. The contract for the work has been let to H. H. Foster.

Two deluxe apartments will be constructed south of the apartments. They will consist of living room, bedroom, tile bath and beautifully appointed kitchens.

## P. S. FLORIST AND GREENHOUSE OPENS NEXT WEEK

The Palm Springs Florist and Greenhouse, 894 North Palm Canyon Drive, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. R. Muramatsu, will open for the season Monday, Oct. 2. Mr. and Mrs. Muramatsu are back in the village.

The owners of the Palm Springs Florist spent the summer at Los Angeles, where they operated a florist shop. They handle bedding plants, shrubbery, house plants, cut flowers, etc., at their establishment here.

## Agreement....

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instructions adopted in regular official meetings.

2. Develop the assets of the tribe with a view to increasing tribal income.

3. Assist individual members of the tribe and protect them against fraud or financial loss.

4. Secure work for members of the tribe and assist them to secure instruction and training for work and business matters, and in the various Indian arts and crafts.

5. Represent the tribe in all contacts of a business or civic nature with the citizens of Palm Springs, county, state and federal officials and agencies.

6. Work with the tribe and the office of Indian Affairs in the field of community planning and development for the best development of proper use of tribal property.

## TO PROMOTE HARMONY

7. Promote peace and harmony among all members of the tribe.

8. Shall not engage in any business or activity outside the tribe which may be against the tribe's best interests.

9. Attend all official meetings of the tribe and such committee meetings as may require his counsel.

10. Perform such other duties as may be required by the direction of the tribe as defined by the rules and laws of the office of Indian Affairs.

11. All moneys derived from the leasing of tribal property shall be deposited with the Superintendent of the Mission Indian Agency at Riverside, to be accounted for as tribal funds.

12. Shall not assign or delegate to any other persons any of the duties and obligations imposed upon him by the agreement.

13. The agreement is to be in effect for three years, may be extended by the Secretary of the Interior as the tribe may desire, and may be terminated by either party by 90 days notice.

14. The resolution authorizing the signing of the agreement must be signed by at least 60 per cent of the adult members of the tribe.

## Fail To Meet

The postponed tribal meeting of the Agua Caliente Indians scheduled for last night, Thursday, was again not held. A quorum failed to show up for the meeting. There are 26 adult members of the tribe, 18 constitute a quorum, and it takes the vote of 15 to approve the contract. There have been a number of attempts to meet.

It is reported that a quorum did not appear for the meeting because a group of the Indians who object to the salary item remained away. This group, said to be led by Lena Welms, do not object to Mr. Forline as tribal business manager but only seek to have the salary item of the contract revised, it is understood. Mr. Forline is reported to have the active support of Chief Willie Marcus.

## Far Fetched

It was rumored here this week that Lena Welms and her group have their eyes on another man for the position of tribal counselor. Persons here well informed concerning local Indian affairs, however, believe that this is rather far fetched, as the contract approved by the U. S. D. I. is specifically between John M. Forline and the Agua Caliente band of Indians. It is also understood here that only because of their high regard for Mr. Forline as a man and an executive did the Department of the Interior ever approve a contract of the nature of the one now in question.

## \$1,695.02 DAMAGES AWARDED AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT VICTIMS

Four persons injured in an automobile accident near Palm Springs, April 23, 1939, were awarded damages in the amount of \$1,695.02 by Superior Judge V. N. Thompson of Imperial county, Thursday.

Judge Thompson is acting on designation of the state judicial council.

Alphonso Romero was defendant in the action. Romero was alleged to have caused an accident with a sedan by negligent operation of a truck. The collision occurred five miles west of Palm Springs.

Judge Thompson extended damages amounting to \$1095.02 to Mrs. Fannie M. Belardo for injuries, hospital expenses and repairs to the sedan, which she was driving.

Katherine Siva and Albino Siva, children of the woman, were granted \$300 and \$125 for injuries, respectively, while Adam Costillo, passenger in the car, was extended \$175 damages for injuries.

William Shaw was attorney for the plaintiffs, while Horace L. Cook of Palm Springs was counsel for Romero. The original suit had asked for damages amounting to more than \$20,000.

## Building Permits

Sept. 22 — A. G. McManus, \$1500, addition to dwelling and animal hospital on Sunny Dunes Road. C. W. Pritchard of Pasadena was listed as the operator of the animal hospital.

Sept. 26 — Henry Faure, \$900, addition to dwelling on Camino Parocella in the Vista Santa Rosa tract.

Sept. 27 — G. O. Relf, Los Angeles, \$5000, new duplex dwelling on South Palm Canyon Drive between Baristo and Ramon Road. Harold W. Burton was listed as engineer; H. H. Foster, contractor.

Sept. 27 — Stewart J. Kann, \$400, addition to dwelling on Via Calusa in the Bush Tract. H. H. Foster, contractor.

Sept. 27 — Howard J. Fuller, \$2500, new dwelling on Palm Canyon Drive in the Palos Verdes tract.

## Local Police....

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World War by the Colts arms company, in the hands of a trained officer is an exceedingly effective weapon, it was shown by Wallace. One officer with such a gun is equal to 10 officers with ordinary side arms, he explained.

## 600 Shots A Minute

The "Tommy" will shoot 600 rounds a minute or a drum of 50 shells in five seconds. When metal piercing ammunition is used, according to the demonstrator, an officer could cut a car in two and kill all the occupants in five seconds. The "Tommy" shoots at the rate of 10 shots per second.

Chief Bispham, Police Commissioner Merrill Crockett, Judge Albert R. Hoffman, Constable Templeton, officers of the Palm Springs Police Department and representatives of the press gathered at 10:30 o'clock Thursday at the police station for the demonstration. Mr. Wallace displayed a few new items of police equipment, and gave his various demonstrations; then the assembled group adjourned to the old rodeo grounds for the machine gun demonstration.

## Local Men Shoot

After demonstrating the firing of the submachine gun, Mr. Wallace allowed the police officers to try the weapon.

It is against the law for any person other than a Federal, state, county or local officer to have a Thompson gun in his possession. All such guns are registered with the Federal government, except the few in the hands of the underworld. None of these machine guns have been manufactured since the World War, according to the demonstrator. So many were manufactured at that time, he pointed out, that no more will be made until the present supply has been used up.

An attachment for the Thompson Submachine Gun has been perfected, known as the Cutts Compensator, that has eliminated the gun's kick. Although the Thompson is a .45 calibre rifle, the demonstrator Thursday fired the machine gun with only one hand with the stock resting against his chin. The recoil did not hurt him in the least, although it was on full fire.

## Laughs At Movie Bandits

Don Wallace laughed at the way the motion picture bandits handle the "Tommy." He said that it is evident that none of these actors have ever had a real one in their hands. He said if a person shot one of these submachine guns on full fire in the way the average motion picture bandit holds the weapon, no one would ever get shot but the people on the roofs of the tall buildings.

Wallace left Palm Springs in 1931 when he sold out his stables here to Norman Farra.

## Community Circle Meets Tuesday

The Community Circle of the Palm Springs Community church will hold its first meeting Tuesday, October 3, at 2:30 p. m., in the social hall of the church.

Mrs. Gordon Nicholson, president of that group, urges all ladies of the congregation to be present, if possible.

## PLANNING BODY TO MEET ON WEDNESDAY

The city planning commission will hold its regular monthly meeting for October next Wednesday afternoon.

The meeting is scheduled for 4:00 p. m. in the council chambers at 480 N. Palm Canyon Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gautiello of the Palm Springs Poultry Shop have returned from Los Angeles, where they spent the summer. Their daughters are enrolled in the local high school.

## Village Sandwich Shop Opens Tomorrow With Same Personnel Back

With Arnold J. Davis as chef, the Village Sandwich Shop in the El Rey Building will open tomorrow, Saturday, for its sixth consecutive season in Palm Springs; and on Oct. 9 the Village Sandwich Shop will go on a 24-hour-a-day schedule.

Gordon Feekings, owner of the establishment, said this week "Our slogan this year as in seasons past will be 'where quality never varies and cleanliness is a habit.'"

Chef Davis is starting his third season in Palm Springs. Before coming here he was employed in the Los Angeles metropolitan area by "Pig and Whistle," "Talk of the Town Cafe" and the "Fox 20th Century Studio Cafe." He is famous for his home style cooking.

The same crew of seven girls will be back on duty at the Village Sandwich Shop this season. They are Grace Davis, Mary Rodrigue, Evelyn Le Sueur, Helen Joss, Ann Reiber and Lucille Thomas. These pretty girls, known for their courteous service, will all be dressed in new uniforms.

Gladys Denton will again act as hostess at the Village Sandwich Shop this season. Mrs. Denton is the mother of talented little Marilyn Denton, the pretty youngster that appeared in several playlets here last season.

## Anthony Burke is New Manager of Tennis Club

Mr. and Mrs. Austin G. McManus, owners and developers of the Palm Springs Tennis Club, have announced that Anthony Burke, local publicity man and resident of the village for several seasons, has taken over the management of the club for this season. Mr. Burke is planning a full and varied program for members of the club and their friends. The club opens this month with an increased membership.

Mr. and Mrs. McManus returned recently from a vacation trip to a number of famous resorts, including Bermuda.

## COOKS RETURN TO OPEN SAKARAH APTS. NEXT WEEK

Attorney and Mrs. Horace Cook of the Sakarah Apartments on Baristo Road have returned for the season from Los Angeles, where they spent the summer. The Sakarah Apartments will open next week, according to the Cooks.

During the summer the Cooks made a trip to San Francisco, where they spent some time visiting the Exposition and friends. Attorney Cook states that he secured several reservations for his apartments while at the Bay city.

## Peter Pan Pastry Shop Opens Saturday

The Peter Pan Pastry Shoppe will open Saturday, Sept. 30, for its fourth season in Palm Springs, but this year that popular bakery will be located on Palm Canyon Drive next to the Palm Springs Date Market. It was formerly located in Sale's Plaza Market.

Mae E. Johnson and Helen M. Hill, owners of the well known bakery, returned to the village about two weeks ago. They state that they are now more centrally located where they are now.

## Alvin Weingartens Return to Desert

Alvin Weingarten, prominent Palm Springs insurance agent, and Mrs. Weingarten returned Wednesday and have opened their Las Casitas Apartments on Ocatillo Avenue for the season. Mrs. Florence L. Stevenson, manager of the apartment house, is also back in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Weingarten divided their time this summer between Banning and Redlands, with Banning as their summer headquarters. They also enjoyed a week's vacation at Oceanside, fishing.

During the summer Mr. Weingarten sold life insurance for the well known Robert N. Berlin Agency at Banning. The Weingartens took a house at the Pass city for the summer.

## Police Seek....

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waiting for the Indians to hold a tribal meeting and to formally vote on the matter.

It is the plan of Chief Bispham to throw the police range open to residents for use on certain days. Two days a week will be set aside for instruction of police officers.

The range will be operated entirely by the police department. The range masters will be officers off duty. Certain hours will be set when a range master will be on duty, and during these hours villagers can receive instruction in pistol and rifle shooting. Locals will have the opportunity to be instructed concerning combat practice.

The police boys want to build a standard police range as outlined by the National Rifle Association of Washington, D. C. They have at the police station now blue prints of a regulation range, that they received from the association.

The major hitch to the immediate construction of the range is the matter of funds. The police boys need about \$100 to build the range, and money for such a purpose cannot be taken from regular police protection district funds. They are now trying to figure out how they can raise this money.

It is planned to charge a very nominal range fee from villagers using the range. Instruction, however, will be free. The small range fee will go to help defray the expense of upkeep of the range.

At the present time, how to raise the \$100 is what is most bothering Chief Bispham and his men.

## EARL HOUGH RETURNS FROM BALBOA

Earl Hough of the Associated Service Station, corner of Amado Road and Palm Canyon Drive, arrived back for the season this week. During the summer the filling station was managed by Jack Youngs.

Mr. and Mrs. Hough and young daughter spent the summer at Balboa beach. Mrs. Hough and daughter, Melinda Ann, will return from the coast the first part of October.

## VILLAGE FLOWER SHOP TO OPEN SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Yoshida of the popular Village Flower Shop on the grounds of The Desert Inn returned this week from Lake Arrowhead, where they spent the summer. They will open the Village Flower Shop for the season October 1.

This summer Mr. and Mrs. Yoshida operated the Village Flower Shop at mile-high Lake Arrowhead.

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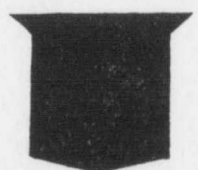
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## Members of Plaza Garage Staff Return

Things are beginning to hum at the H. D. McNeer and Clarence Chitwood Plaza Garage, as that establishment prepares for the expected big season that will shortly be underway in Palm Springs. The Plaza Garage was open all summer, operating on a very much curtailed basis, but now the various members of the staff are returning for the winter.

Mr. McNeer, his wife and children remained in Palm Springs all summer. He kept the garage operating during the quiet, hot months.

Clarence Chitwood returned Tuesday from Lake Arrowhead, where he has been working in Spafford's Grocery store. In August a fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chitwood at the Riverside Community Hospital. Mrs. Chitwood and the baby are still at the home of Mrs. Chitwood's mother in Riverside, but will return to their home here later this fall.

Jack Huntley, mechanic, remained in the village all summer and continued with his duties at the Plaza Garage. George Pryet, another mechanic, is now back.

Other members of the Plaza Garage staff that have returned to their jobs are the following: Carl Herbert, in charge of storage, and Isador Eisen, manager of the Plaza Garage chauffeurs' quarters.

The Plaza Garage stored many cars and house trailers for the summer in its large storage base-

## New Booklet About Desert Area Now Out

A few copies are now out in Palm Springs of "Where Shall We Go?", a guide to the desert, written by William Mason and James Carling, local writers; and it is understood that the neat 65-page booklet will be placed on sale in the village in the very near future.

Illustrations, of which the very interesting little volume has many, are the work of Bee Nicoll, talented Palm Springs artist. Bee Nicoll and James Carling are sister and brother.

The tan-colored, paper-bound booklet is devoted entirely to the Colorado desert. It is divided into two parts: "Part 1, Trips," and "Part 2, The Desert." Seventeen trips from Palm Springs are outlined in the volume, with a separate map accompanying almost every trip. Distances, road conditions, points of interest, etc., are given.

Part 2 of the booklet is devoted to the geography, physiography, geology, history, climate, Indians, history, flora and fauna of the beautiful Colorado Desert of Southern California. At the back is a bibliography of books on the area.

Mr. Mason is a well known Palm Springs writer and is former associate editor of the Limerick. Carling has also done considerable writing.

### DR. AND MRS. HOAGLAND BACK FOR SEASON

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Hoagland will return this week from Meeker, Colorado, where they have been staying at the Elk Lodge after their arrival at the states from Laukai, Oahu, T. H.

## MAIL TO LEAVE PALM SPRINGS AT 8 AT NIGHT

Effective October 2nd, there will be a daily dispatch of mail from the Palm Springs postoffice at 8:00 p. m., Sundays excepted. Mail must be deposited at the postoffice by that hour. This applies to first class mail only, as no windows will be open after 6 p. m.

This night dispatch has been advanced one month in order to offset earlier afternoon dispatch effective last April.

Daily dispatches effective October 2nd are as follows: 11:30 a. m., 3:00 p. m., and 8:00 p. m.

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## Helena Rubinstein Night Cream Sale At P. S. Drug

Eighty per cent of all women in America have super-dry, tense, sensitive skins, according to a survey made by Helena Rubinstein, noted beauty authority, who has been studying the faces of millions of women these past three decades in every country in the world.

The reason for America's skin dryness? Helena Rubinstein attributes it in large part to the nervous American tempo of living. She sees the whole tempo of our 20th century life written in the faces of American women today. She sees the drawn, taut, sallow complexions that accompany breathless activity and high pressure existence. In the faces of career women, homemakers and society women, alike, the nervous pace of modern daily life has taken its toll in fatigue lines, tenseness, skin dryness.

That is why, for women all over the United States, Helena Rubinstein created a special dry skin cream, her famous Novena Night Cream. Calculating that the night hours are practically the only time a modern woman relaxes, Madame Rubinstein designed this cream to restore beauty to a woman's skin while she sleeps—to dispel during the average seven hours of slumber the tense, drawn look left on the skin by the 17 waking hours of a hectic day. In Novena Night Cream Madame Rubinstein incorporated the same rich balsam oils which are used in her luxurious salon treatments for dry, lined skins.

As a counter-offensive against "high tension" dry skin, Madame Rubinstein is offering this marvelous Novena Night Cream at half price from September 30 to October 14, so if one has never used Novena Night Cream before, here is a big opportunity to become acquainted with its many virtues. In Palm Springs this sale will be at H. E. "Pat" Patterson's Palm Springs Drug Company.

Says beauty expert Helena Rubinstein, "if your skin has become even drier than usual as a result of careless summer days spent under the sun, here is your chance to set matters right with a thorough and effective and time-saving reconditioning treatment with Novena Night Cream. And if you are already a devotee of this unique night cream, as thousands of women are, you assuredly won't want to miss this opportunity to stock up on a big supply! During this sale event you can obtain the regular two dollar size of the cream for one dollar."

"Each night, after cleansing your skin, smooth Novena Night Cream on your face with upward and outward strokes. Massage it into throat and neck also, with long, sweeping, downward strokes. It's so soothing and luscious on your skin that treating yourself to a Novena Night Cream ritual each night will become a looked forward to labor of love! Allow the cream to remain on overnight—and when you awaken you'll find your reward in a fresh, lovely, glowing face. Your skin will feel soft, smooth, revived—free from tautness and tenseness. You'll be ready to plunge into another hectic day looking radiant and vibrant, with a skin as fresh as morning dew, if you wear Novena Night Cream to bed!"

### BILLY WRIGHTS BACK IN VILLAGE

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. "Billy" Wright and daughter, Betty, have returned for the season from Los Angeles, where they spent the summer.

Mr. Wright is a well known local real estate man, and Mrs. Wright is manager of the Wayside Inn on South Palm Canyon Drive.

The Wayside Inn is now open.

## Town House Will Open This Week-end

R. F. Outcault and Frank E. Pershing, who are both back in Palm Springs for the season, have announced that their famous Town House and Bungalows at 359 South Belardo Road, will open October 1.

Remodeling, painting and re-decorating work has been in progress for many days at the Town House.

Mrs. Katharine Thompson will return as hostess at the Town House.

## Mrs. Martha Forward New Owner of The Nooks Apartments

Mrs. Martha Forward, widow of the late John F. Forward, Jr., a former mayor of San Diego, arrived in Palm Springs to be the new owner and manager of The Nooks Apartments.

The Nooks Apartments were formerly owned by H. L. Moy-nihan and Mrs. Forward exchanged her Garden Court Apartments at San Diego for these apartments here.

## Dance to Raise Funds to Light Tennis Courts

To raise money to light the community tennis courts on the grounds of the Palm Springs high school, the city recreation board is planning a community dance for the night of Saturday, Nov. 18.

The lighting of these courts will make it possible for residents and guests in the village to play tennis at night all during the season.

## P. S. Boy Elected Freshman President At Whittier College

Bob Thompson, who graduated this past spring from the Palm Springs High School, last week was elected president of the freshman class at Whittier College, which he has chosen as his alma mater. There are 150 in the class.

Bob is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thompson of The Desert Forge of Palm Springs. He was prominent in the affairs of the local High, being student body president last year. He also won the local Lions Club Speaking Contest last season.

Bob is taking a premedical course at Whittier College. His major is chemistry, his minor biology.

He is playing football on the freshman team.

### PALM SPRINGS WEATHER STATION MOVED TO P. D.

The Palm Springs weather station, owned by the U. S. Weather Bureau and located for the past several years on the grounds of the Oasis Hotel, is being moved this week to the police station, where it will be set up and cared for by the police.

The apparatus includes a recording thermometer, rain gauge and other instruments. A rain gauge is also located on the roof of the fire hall.

## P. S. "Dunks" Land in County Road Camp

Having been "picked up" by local police many times before for the same offense, Alex Nicholson, 48, and Frank Moro, 61, Palm Springs Indians, were each sentenced to serve six months in the Riverside county road camp when they appeared before Justice of the Peace Albert R. Hoffman, Tuesday, Sept. 26, charged with being drunk.

Nicholson has been arrested five times and Moro nine times by local police for the same offense, drunkenness, according to police records.

The two Indians were arrested Monday, Sept. 25, 11:45 a. m., just outside the city limits on the road to Cathedral City. Joe Om-lin was the arresting officer. The report that the two intoxicated men were driving toward Palm Springs was phoned in from Cathedral City. When Officer Om-lin found the two men, they had parked their car at the edge of the road, and Nicholson was walking along the highway with canteen in hand in search of water for the radiator of the car. Moro was unconscious in the car, it is reported.

When asked by reporters how he figured the Indians were able to obtain alcohol (it is against the law to sell intoxicating liquor to Indians), Chief of Police Bispham advanced the following theory.

These two men have been arrested several times before under the same circumstances. On previous occasions the report has been phoned in from Cathedral City. One of the men looks like a Mexican and talks Mexican. Putting the facts together the Chief came to the conclusion that these two men possibly drive to Indio, and one of them enters a liquor store and purchases wine or some other beverage under the guise of being a Mexican. They get in their car and start home for Palm Springs, and by the time they arrive at Cathedral City they are probably beginning to feel the effects of the alcohol. Someone sees the car weaving on the road as it passes through Cathedral City and phones the Palm Springs police department.

### BREAKS JAW IN NITBALL GAME AT FIELD CLUB

George Robinson, employe at the Standard Station, broke his jaw Tuesday night of this week in a nitball game at the Field Club.

Robinson was standing on one of the bases and broke his jaw in making a play. He was treated by Dr. Russell M. Gray.

### MARGARET CREE RECOVERING AT BALBOA BEACH

Raymond Cree, prominent Palm Springs real estate broker, spent last week-end at Balboa Beach visiting his wife, who is convalescing there from her recent operation in a Riverside hospital. She is doing very well, Realtor Cree reports.

Margaret Cree rented an apartment on Balboa Island about two weeks ago. She will not return to Palm Springs until late in October, according to Mr. Cree.

Dr. James B. Oliver, of Palm Springs, her physician, has a summer practice at Balboa. Dr. Oliver has now returned to the village for the winter season.

Mrs. Cree has gained eleven pounds since her operation, Mr. Cree stated this week.

Children have more need of models than of critics.—Joubert.

## Library Schedule

Monday—10 a. m. to 12 noon; 1 p. m. to 5 p. m., and 7 p. m. to 9 p. m.

Tuesday—10 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Wednesday—10 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Thursday—10 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Friday—10 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

The library is closed all day Saturday and Sunday.

## Staley Family Back; Offices Now Open

Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Staley and infant daughter, Jean, arrived in Palm Springs last week after spending the summer at Estes Park, Colorado, where Dr. Staley has an emergency hospital and general medical office, assisted by Dr. Mall.

They were accompanied to the village by Mrs. Staley's sister, Miss Virginia Keller. The Staleys have taken a home here for the season.

## El Morocco Hotel Opens Sunday

Alex H. Nord, lessee of the El Morocco Hotel, and his charming wife, returned to Palm Springs early this week for the season; and Mr. Nord announced Tuesday that the El Morocco will open Sunday, October 1.

The popular Algiers cocktail lounge and the El Morocco Hotel dining room will also open Sunday. Harold Foster, genial mix-maestro of the Algiers, will be behind the bar.

Willow Nord, the Nords' pretty daughter started to school at the Riverside junior college Monday.

Artist Jack Schurch is expected back in a few days to open his studio in the El Morocco, according to the Nords.

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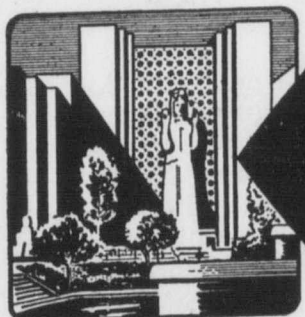
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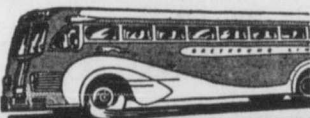
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## Dr. Gray Does Research Work At Mayo Clinic

Dr. Russell M. Gray, prominent Palm Springs physician and surgeon, and president of the local Lions Club, returned Monday of this week and has opened his office in the Plaza for the season.

After leaving Palm Springs at the end of last season, Dr. Gray motored east to Rochester, Minn., where he spent the first six weeks of the summer at Mayo Brothers, doing research work relative to the new helium and oxygen treatment of asthma—collaborating with Drs. Boothby and Lovelace of the Mayo Clinic. It will be remembered that Dr. Lovelace came to Palm Springs last season to call on Dr. Gray, and while here he delivered an address on helium and oxygen before the Lions Club.

After leaving the Mayo Clinic Dr. Gray spent the rest of the summer at the Redstone Inn, Glenwood Springs, Colorado. Dr. Gray is the owner of the Redstone Inn. While in Glenwood Springs Dr. Gray read a paper that he had prepared on the helium and oxygen treatment, before the Garfield County Medical Society.

On his return trip to Palm Springs Dr. Gray stopped off in San Francisco long enough to visit the Golden Gate International Exposition.

## Mrs. Geneva Fischbeck Opens Estrella Villas

Mrs. Geneva Fischbeck, the popular owner and manager of Estrella Villas, and her son, Jack Gorham, returned to the village last week from Hollywood to reopen their apartments for the season. Workmen are busy painting and remodeling the cottages and everything will be ready in about two weeks.

Jackie Cooper and his mother, Mrs. Chas. Bigelow, have reserved a cottage for the season, expecting to occupy it by November 1.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Peake, who are now building a \$21,850 home in Tahquitz Park, are now at Estrella Villas and will remain there until their new home is completed about four months hence.

## Harriet Henderson Expected Home This Week-end

Mrs. C. S. Henderson, who underwent a major operation early in July in the Riverside Community Hospital, is sufficiently recovered that she is expected to return to Palm Springs this week-end, according to her husband, Charles Henderson of Sunshine Court.

Mrs. Henderson had suffered a number of fainting spells last spring before leaving Palm Springs, and these spells continued after the Hendersons had moved to Idyllwild for the summer. Early in July her condition became so serious that she was taken to Riverside, where surgeons performed an operation to relieve pressure on her heart. She recovered very rapidly, immediately after the operation, but later suffered a set-back.

Mrs. Henderson is doing very well now, however, according to her husband. She is no longer in the hospital, but has been staying in a Riverside hotel convalescing.

Charles Henderson states that his wife now walks two miles a day. He continued by saying, however, that it will be necessary for her to rest much of the time and take it very easy until the first of next year.

## EDMUND LINDOP DROPS IN THIS WEEK

Edmund F. Lindop, prominent developer, who subdivided Desert Sands Estates here several years ago, was in Palm Springs Monday and Tuesday of this week and stated that he, Mrs. Lindop, and the children have all returned from the East and are now living in Westwood.

Mr. Lindop spent the summer in Chicago, where he maintains an office on Dearborn street. Mrs. Lindop and the children summered at Lake Macatawa, Holland, Michigan.

Realtor Lindop stated Tuesday that they will not move to Palm Springs this winter but that he will be down many times during the season.

While just government protects all in their religious rites, true religion affords government its surest support.—Washington.

## Storm Brings....

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avenue and Granvia Valmonte was washed out, and sand and debris was deposited on Indian avenue in front of the Colonial House from Granvia Valmonte to Alejo Road. This damage was all done by the swollen stream from Tachevah wash.

The valiant efforts of G. K. Sanborn and his city men saved further damage. They piled sand bags along Tachevah Wash and thus succeeded in keeping the water from washing the school grounds.

### Water on Highway

Water from Palm Canyon crossed the Indio road at Araby point, east of Smoke Tree Ranch, but no damage was reported at that point. Also water from the Whitewater river crossed the state highway just east of the Palm Springs station and near the railroad grade crossing, where the road washed out during the famous flood of two years ago. Traffic crossed Whitewater wash by being routed over a portion of the new road and the new bridge now under construction, returning to the old road at the Palm Springs station. Tuesday traffic was crossing the wash on the old road again.

According to reports from the local Indian office, the road up Palm Canyon is in fine shape after the rain. The road was slightly damaged Monday where it ascends Hermit's Bench to the Palm Canyon Trading Post, but the damage has been repaired.

### Boon to Village

The rain Sunday and Monday of this week was a boon to Palm Springs. The storm broke last week's heat wave—the maximum temperature here Saturday was 103, Sunday 101, Monday 81 and Tuesday the maximum was only 76. The rain also settled dust, freshened gardens and eliminated the necessity of watering trees and shrubs for several days.

Desert verbenas are sprouting all over the desert, a very unusual thing for this time of the year.

### Damage at Indio

Elsewhere in Riverside county the storm did considerable damage. The date growers of Coachella Valley suffered the most on the desert, the crop being practically wiped out. Picking started immediately following the rain of the first of this month, but less than a quarter of the crop had been gathered when this last rain came, and it was so heavy and continuous that all dates on the trees were soaked. It is probable that there are some good dates yet unpicked, but the percentage on each picking is so small that the cost of picking will exceed the returns, a number of date men stated.

### RAINFALL TABLE

	24 Hrs.	Sea-son	Last Season
Palm Springs	1.51	3.62	.32
Riverside	.23	.80	1.19
Banning	1.27	3.80	4.82
Beaumont	1.06	3.42	4.41
Corona	...	2.05	2.30
Hemet	1.15	1.08	2.09
Elsinore	...	2.29	3.08
Idyllwild	...	2.65	6.15
San Bern'do	.06	1.88	2.26
Redlands	.05	1.90	3.45

Six and three-quarters inches of rain fell within a six-hour period at Indio.

Other damage in the Coachella Valley included flooded sewers at Indio, flooded buildings, damaged roads and gulleys and washes in framed fields. Many automobiles were stalled by slipping off paving and going down in the mud, and in some instances turning onto their sides, but no personal injuries were reported. Several stores in Indio were flooded and there was some damage to merchandise.

In the city of Coachella, due probably to slowness of flow there, sediment accumulated on the main street to a depth of almost six inches.

### Railroad Washed

The only damage to the Southern Pacific tracks in this region sufficient to hold up traffic was just adjacent to where U.S. Highway 60 crosses the tracks in the valley. The water banked up there and went first over the rails and then began carrying away the ballast, leaving about 50 feet of rails and ties suspended over the rushing water. A repair crew was rushed to the point of trouble and a number of cars of gravel and rock dumped. Trains No. 2 and No. 3 were held up for some time.

County roads between La Quinta and Indio were damaged, it is reported.

According to Superintendent C. B. Cravens of the county road department, who was in the Coachella Valley Sunday, children were swimming in two feet of water in the streets of the town of Coachella, Sunday.

Let thy child's first lesson be obedience, and the second will be what thou wilt. — Benjamin Franklin.

The whole of government consists in the art of being honest. — Thomas Jefferson.

## Churches

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### COMMUNITY CHURCH

West Baristo Road  
John R. Macartney, Pastor  
Sunday, October 1:  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.  
11 a. m.—Morning worship.  
7:00 p. m.—Young people's meeting.

## 13 on the Job As Bank of America Prepares for Season

The Palm Springs branch of the Bank of America is now ready for the busy winter season that lies ahead, all members of the bank's staff are back from their vacations and three new employees have been engaged for this year. Including Manager A. J. M. Gardiner, 13 people are now employed in the bank here.

A. J. M. Gardiner, manager, is starting his 11th year in the local branch of the Bank of America. He is prominent in the affairs of the local Lions Club, Chamber of Commerce and the Masonic Luncheon Club. Mr. Gardiner enjoyed his vacation this summer at Balboa Beach.

Fred Ingram, assistant cashier, is commencing his seventh season with the bank here. Mr. Ingram vacationed at the beach and Sequoia National Park.

Merle Boyle, assistant cashier, is also back this season. Mr. Boyle spent his vacation in Santa Ana.

Others that are now back at their posts in the bank are the following: Mrs. Gladys Oliver, escrow clerk; Gerald Shill, note teller; J. T. Sanders, teller; Noble Curtis, teller; Blake Bevil, teller; Gordon Shields, teller; and Doris Weaver, clerk.

New employees at the bank include the following: Stanley Blackburn, formerly of Riverside, bookkeeper; Donald Gray of Palm Springs, bookkeeper; and Charlotte Naley of Cathedral City, bookkeeper.

J. T. Sanders, teller, worked in the Bank of America at Santa Barbara this summer, as a relief man. The rest of the employees of the bank here were off one month each during the summer.

## Armand Turonnets to Return Saturday

According to word received here Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Armand Turonnet will arrive in Palm Springs Saturday for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Turonnet spent the summer in San Jose, Lake Tahoe and also visited with relatives in San Pedro prior to their return to the village.

The Turonnets have spent several winters here, having built a home in Merita Vista tract two years ago, and owning considerable property here.

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## Palm Springs Hotel Entirely Open This Week-end

According to George Karoly, manager, the Palm Springs Hotel will be entirely open by this week-end—dining room, cocktail lounge, swimming pool and all. Rooms have been available at the hotel, however, for almost two weeks, he said.

George Karoly, Bill and Margaret Foldes are all back for the season. George Karoly, father of all the Palm Springs Hotel Foldeses, and daughter, Irene, are not expected back in the village from Oakland until later in the fall.

A new policy will be inaugurated at the Luau Room, popular cocktail lounge of the hotel, this fall. Standard drinks served at the counter will be mixed at a new, stainless steel counter bar that has just been installed. Drinks for the dining room and all South Sea Island drinks will continue to be mixed in the service bar.

Hungarian and American foods, for which the Palm Springs Hotel is justly famous, will be available in the dining room starting this week-end. Cantonese foods will not be served in the Luau Room till later in the season.

## Kubic of Edom To Open Grapefruit Stand in Plaza

According to reports, J. C. Kubic, Edom rancher, has subleased from H. D. McNeer and Clarence Chitwood the Plaza Service Station, located in front of Potter's Hardware.

It is stated that Kubic, who owns and operates Rancho Kubic on U. S. Highway 99 at Edom, will operate a date and grapefruit stand at the Plaza Service Station location.

Chitwood and McNeer, who operate the well known Plaza Garage, state they will operate their filling station in the future on Arenas Road in front of the main entrance to their garage.

## Mrs. Horace Pendery Leaves for East

Mrs. Horace F. Pendery and small daughter, Mary, left via train Tuesday afternoon for Cincinnati, Ohio, former home of both Mr. and Mrs. Pendery.

They will be gone about a month, visiting relatives and friends, as they have not been back for four years.

## DAUGHTER OF LOCAL MAN WED IN MANILA, P. I.

Miss Eve Wills, daughter of Major W. R. Wills of 944 Mel avenue, Palm Springs, on Thursday, September 21, became the bride of Jesus Alegre in Manila, P. I. Major Wills, a former Manilaan, has returned to the village for the season.

Mrs. Alegre returned to the Philippine Islands about three months ago. A popular member of Manila's younger set, she lived there for a number of years and is an alumna of the Assumption Convent of that city.

Jesus Alegre is a prominent young man in Manila.

## Charles Burket To Represent P.S. At Convention

Building Inspector and Mrs. Charles Burket and their daughter will leave Palm Springs Sunday for Oakland, where Mr. Burket will attend a convention of the "Pacific Coast Building Conference" at the Hotel Oakland, October 2-6, inclusive.

While at the bay city they will go to Treasure Island to take in the Exposition.

About 200 building officials from various parts of the United States are expected to attend the convention, at which some changes will be made in the Uniform Building Code. The Uniform Building Code, originally drafted and changed from time to time by the Pacific Coast Building Conference, is in use in 230 cities of the United States and Hawaiian Islands. Palm Springs has adopted the code.

## Guy Pinney Back From Convention

City Clerk Guy Pinney was back in his office, Monday, after an absence of a week during which time he represented Palm Springs at the 41st annual convention of the League of California Municipalities at Oakland, Sept. 18-21. Mrs. Pinney accompanied him to the bay city.

Hotel Oakland was official headquarters for the convention. There were sessions for various types of city officials, but Mr. Pinney attended those for municipal fiscal officers.

City Attorney Roy Colgate also attended some of the convention sessions.

## DR. AND MRS. MACARTNEY RETURN TO VILLAGE

Back for another season with their many friends here are Dr. and Mrs. John Robertson Macartney, who arrived yesterday.

The Macartneys spent the summer in Oregon and Washington.

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### LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Gardeners	3	1	.750
Builders' Supply	3	1	.750
DeVine's	2	2	.500
Rinkydinks	0	4	.000

### STAR PLAYER INJURED

Tuesday night in a game with the Gardeners, the Rinkydinks' star first player was injured. George Robinson has his jaw broken while trying to make a play on Paul Siva. Robinson, due to a wild throw, was standing in the base-line when Siva was trying to make the base. Siva's left shoulder hit Robinson's jaw. He was rushed to the hospital and treated for a broken jaw by Dr. Russell M. Gray. Everyone is hoping for his immediate recovery.

### Rinkydinks vs. Gardeners

Rinkydinks	AB	H	R
Jimmy Lawhorn	3	0	1
George Robinson	2	2	1
Roy Gilmore	5	0	0
Floyd Bigley	4	0	1
Nale	3	2	1
Earl Hough	5	0	0
Jack Young	3	2	0
Don Lafor	3	0	0
Elly Winder	5	0	0
Willard McKinney	2	0	1
	35	6	5

Gardeners	AB	H	R
John Herrera	5	2	0
Joe Prieto	4	0	0
Pritchett	4	1	3
Biff Joseph	5	2	1
LeRoy Hall	4	3	3
N. Bates	4	0	3
Cruz	4	1	0
Paul Siva	4	0	0
Jack Johnson	4	2	1
	38	11	11

Rinkydinks	101	010	002	5
Gardeners	021	002	42x	11

### NAVY RECRUITING INSTRUCTIONS CHANGE

The U. S. Navy is now accepting men under the following revised recruiting instructions, effective September 8, 1939, as follows:

- Age limits 18 and under 31. Term of enlistment is six years.
- Ex-members of the Army, Marine Corps and Coast Guard with creditable discharges (by reason of expiration of term of service or convenience of Government) may be accepted for enlistment even though they have been out of service over three months, provided they are under 35 years of age.
- Broken service men, discharged under honorable conditions, who are in all respects qualified and have been out of service less than eight years will be accepted in the same rating as that held at time of discharge. The term of enlistment is four years.
- Men out of the Naval Service more than eight years and who are less than 35 years old will be accepted as seamen first class or firemen second class. The

### MANAGER PERSHING WINS FIRST GAME

The Builders' Supply, under the leadership of their new manager, Frank Pershing, was able to win easily Thursday night in the game with DeVine's Market. In the fifth inning DeVine's began to find Pitcher Hicks, and Pershing immediately pulled Hicks and rushed Tony Rodrique to stave off the rally. Tony starred at bat, getting four hits out of five tries at bat. The good judgment of Manager Pershing had much to do with the victory.

Builders' Supply	AB	H	R
Lloyd Gauff	3	0	2
Sid Canales	4	1	2
Albert Heiser	5	0	3
Rudy Salazar	6	1	2
Blake Neville	5	1	0
Merle Boyle	4	2	2
Clarence Purnell	1	0	0
Dutch Shill	5	1	1
Tony Rodrique	5	4	0
Milt Hicks	1	0	1
Bob Gauff	2	0	1

DeVine's	AB	H	R
Lewis	4	1	1
Harriman	6	1	1
Walker	5	3	0
J. Gray	5	1	0
Bellue	5	3	1
Murray	1	1	0
Al	4	0	1
James	5	2	1
D. Gray	4	1	1
Lu	4	1	1
Builders	131	300	024-14
DeVine's	000	200	050-7

### COURTS OPEN TO PUBLIC

The Palm Springs city board of recreation announced this week that the community tennis courts, located on the high school grounds, are open for public use before 8:30 a. m. and after 2:30 p. m., daily.

During the day, from 8:30 to 2:30, the use of the courts will be divided between the Nellie N. Coffman school and the Palm Springs high school.

The recreation board hopes to be able to secure funds with which to light the courts for night play for the public. The board is planning a community dance for the night of November 18 to raise funds for this purpose.

### Despondency Brings Rancher to Suicide

Ill health and worry over failure of a cotton crop are thought to have been contributing factors in the suicide of John J. Gump, 60, resident of the El Mirage rancho, six miles east of Cathedral City, early Friday morning.

The death was investigated by Coroner Ben F. White. Gump, who is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lois Gump, and by a son and daughter in Los Angeles, is thought to have been depressed over financial matters. He left his home early Friday morning and went to a house near the highway for which he is caretaker. Here he hung himself from a rafter.

The body was taken to a mortuary in Indio. Gump was well known to ranchers of the district.

Kindness is the golden chain by which society is bound together.

term of enlistment is four years.

(c) Cases of men who have been discharged by special order will be referred to the Bureau.

## Ant Poison Samples Eaten By Small Boys

Two little boys rushing home from school to homes in different parts of Beaumont, Tuesday afternoon, found little bags containing a number of shiny tin plates on which was the most inviting looking candy. To be sure, the outside of the bag was stamped "Ant Poison," but what little boy would stop to read the outside of a nice new bag found on his front porch.

Quickly, they ate the candy, but soon their stomachs began to burn, and they were rushed to doctors, where stomach pumps were used before any great damage was done, it is believed, for both were resting easily yesterday. There is a delayed action, however, with the arsenic poisoning, and it will be several days before the results of eating the arsenic-filled candy can be determined.

The boys are Billy Samson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Samson, and Allan Smith, son of one of the teachers in the Beaumont elementary school.

## Nev-Cal Electric Wins National Honors

J. S. Allan, safety supervisor of the Nevada-California Electric Corporation, has received word from the National Safety Council that the company has won first place in the United States among 47 public utility companies operating large fleets of trucks for having the smallest number of accidents per 100,000 miles driven.

Mr. Allan says: "The Nev-Cal organization operated its trucks for the year ended June 30, 1939, a distance of 1,188,000 miles with only eight accidents. This represented a frequency of .67 as against an average of 2.55 for the total 47 fleets."

"This is the second time that our company has won first place in this group, having been awarded a similar rating in 1935."

"The company also rated considerably above the average for safety in the operation of its passenger cars, achieving 16th place out of 53 companies reporting, a frequency of .91 as against an average of 1.51."

Notice of the safety achievement of the company's truck and automobile drivers was received by Mr. Allan this week from R. W. Hennings, statistician for the National Safety Council, and an invitation was extended for a representative of the company to attend the national conference to be held at Atlantic City in October.

### Figuring Extension of Taxes Is Nearing Completion

Riverside county's biggest mathematical problem, which requires three months to solve, is nearing its completion by a staff of Auditor Ray T. Hicks' deputies.

The problem is the extension of taxes, which ultimately results in the figuring of close to 65,000 separate tax bills, later to be mailed to county taxpayers. The job, which began in July, ends on October 1.

The task is no simple one. Each tax charge requires at least five mathematical operations, and in some areas where there are several special tax levying districts the complex charges must be based on numerous different tax rates.

The work requires the figuring of 30 large volumes, varying up to 260 pages in size. All figures must be checked and cross-checked and later proved by Hicks himself to prevent any error.

After all the charges, for both the first and second installments, are figured, the volumes are then turned over to Tax Collector C. R. Stibbens for the preparation of the bills for mailing.

### TAMARISK ROAD GRADED

Bill Seaton's men took advantage of the soaking given Tamarisk Road this week by the rain, and Wednesday graded this heavily traveled street. The street is now in fine shape.

Tamarisk road serves a large residential district in the northeast part of town, and has a habit of becoming very rough with a little hard usage.

I expect to pass through life but once. If therefore, there be any kindness I can show, or any good thing I can do to any fellow-being, let me do it now, and not defer or neglect it, as I shall not pass this way again.—Penn.

## A Legion Convention 25 Years from Now



## THE COUNTY AT A GLANCE

### SAN JACINTO

Grace Hopkins, 17-year-old granddaughter of the original of Helen Hunt Jackson's Ramona, died last Friday evening at the Soboba Indian reservation hospital after a long illness with tuberculosis. She had been a patient at the hospital for two months.

Miss Hopkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Candino Hopkins, was a native of the Torres-Martinez reservation near Palm Springs, and final rites were conducted there Sunday. Harford Funeral Home of Hemet was in charge of arrangements.

Miss Hopkins' father was a son of Ramona Lubo, whose tragic experiences are generally conceded to have prompted the writing of the novel "Ramona," which is the basis of this valley's outdoor play.

### HEMET

Harvest of an estimated 800-ton Hemet walnut crop may get under way this week, according to present indications. Growers who use the ethylene gas method are expected to start their harvest this week.

This year's crop is believed to be about 80 per cent of normal and twice as large as that of last year. In the state as a whole a bumper crop of more than 1,000,000 bags is reported in prospect. The Los Angeles county harvest is already under way and the production there is expected to be twice that of last year.

### CORONA

Attendance at the Corona school district increased 154 over that of last year for the first day, it was announced by Superintendent of Schools Frank E. Bishop on Monday.

The total for this year was 2140 and for last year 1986.

### INDIO

The population of the Indio Migratory Camp is considerably less than at this time last year, it was reported by J. H. McClain, acting manager. The fact that many transient families have heard news of crop destruction here by flood waters, probably is the cause, McClain believes.

At present there are 55 families occupying space in the main camp and 38 additional families in the camp houses. Low for the year in the camp was 27 families.

Guy Willard Grifet, of the San Francisco office, will arrive early in October to take over active management of the local camp, it is understood.

### COACHELLA

As a result of the recent rains what is going to happen to Coachella Valley's desert wild flowers?

The question arose as home gardeners noticed beds where poppies and other semi-wild flowers grew last spring are beginning to sprout forth with millions of young plants.

It is believed by many that the desert flowers will start out as readily as the poppies. If they do and fail to survive the winter, there is a strong chance that the seeds will be lost, and that next spring's crop of wild flowers will fail to materialize.

The wild flowers are one of Coachella valley's most profitable crops because of their attraction for tourists.

Life is made up, not of great sacrifices or duties, but of little things, in which smiles, and kindnesses, and small obligations, given habitually, are what win and preserve the heart and secure comfort.—Sir H. Davy.

### ELSINORE

One of the worst fires yet to strike this part of Riverside county blackened approximately 5000 acres in the vicinity of the Cajalco reservoir between Elsinore and Corona Friday of last week. The fire, which was believed started when a motorist threw a lighted cigarette from a car, swept through the Dawson Canyon district from a point immediately below the dam where it started.

Forty-five men began fighting the blaze at one o'clock in the afternoon, and when it was almost under control late in the evening, gusts of wind spread it, and it was about 3 o'clock Saturday morning before the fire was brought under control.

Several buildings were in the path of the flames, but the crews succeeded in keeping the fire from them.

### PERRIS

The oft-suggested auction of tax-delinquent land at Romoland finally will come to pass.

Monday the county supervisors granted a request by C. R. Stibbens, county tax collector, to sell some 300 lots at auction.

A prescribed period for advertising the sale must first elapse before the auction can be conducted.

The request for the sale was presented to Stibbens by the Home Farms water company of Romoland at a minimum bid of \$1 per acre.

The delinquency is estimated by Stibbens at approximately \$10,000.

### BLYTHE

Increased enrollment in three of the five schools in the Palo Verde unified district caused registration records to fall this week, as reports from all schools showed a total of 1111 pupils responding to roll call.

Last year's enrollment had hung up a 25-year record, with its mark of 1040 pupils for the first week, and the 1939-40 registration surpasses that record.

Many additional students are expected to start their studies during the next few weeks so that the present figure will be considerably increased, school authorities estimate.

## Royal Palms Apts. At New Low Rates

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Before renting for the season, anyone expecting to spend the winter here is invited to come and inspect these lovely apartments, which were built less than three years ago. They will be astounded to see such excellent accommodations at such a very low price.

## Dr. and Mrs. Cliffton Return from East

All set for a busy season is Dr. Bacon L. Cliffton, who returned to the village Sunday. Dr. and Mrs. Cliffton and son, James, left Palm Springs in June for Rochester, Minnesota, where Dr. Cliffton studied surgery in the famous Mayo Clinic for two months. From there they went to Madison, Wisconsin, to visit Mrs. James Oliver, then to Chicago and Cincinnati, where the doctor worked in various clinics and took a course in anesthesia administration.

Next the Clifftons motored to New York, Boston, Washington, D. C., and Toronto, Canada, then headed homeward. Dr. Cliffton's office will reopen for the season in about two weeks.

### "JIMMY THE BARBER" RETURNS FROM CATALINA ISLAND

"Jimmy the Barber" Glendye and his wife, Charlotte Glendye, returned to Palm Springs Monday for the season from a summer at Catalina Island.

Jimmy the Barber was in the village last week but went to the mountains for the week-end. Jimmy will be back at the Desert Inn Barber Shop this season. That barber shop opens for the season Monday, Oct. 2.

Jimmy said he umpired a lot of ball games at Catalina during the summer.

## New State Insurance Law Will Affect Palm Springs Residents

It has been learned from the office of Koehler-Samson Insurance Service that among the 1100 new bills passed by the last session of the state legislature, is one which will affect a large number of home owners in Palm Springs. It is Assembly Bill No. 156.

This bill provides that any person engaged in household service who is employed by one employer for ever fifty-two hours per week, is an employee within the terms of the Compensation Act, and his employer is liable for compensation benefits under the act.

Assembly Bill No. 121 provides for a mandatory penalty of not less than \$300.00 on employers who fail to insure their compensation liability. Failure to provide such insurance constitutes a misdemeanor, according to the Koehler-Samson agency.

Prior to the passage of Bill No. 156 it was not necessary for a home owner to provide compensation insurance for domestic. "It will behoove home owners with full-time household servants to check into the matter of whether or not they are required to protect themselves," Herbert Samson stated this week.

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<b>Picnic Hams</b>	Rath's Tenderized	lb. <b>23c</b>
<b>Bacon</b>	In the Piece	lb. <b>27c</b>
<b>Pork Roast</b>	Fresh Picnic Whole or Shank	lb. <b>21c</b>
<b>Pork Steaks</b>		lb. <b>25c</b>
<b>Pork Sausage</b>		lb. <b>29c</b>
<b>Pineapple</b>	FANCY SLICED 2 No. 2 cans	<b>31c</b>
<b>Grapefruit</b>	GLENN AIRE No. 2 can	<b>9c</b>
<b>Fruit Cocktail</b>	No. 1 can	<b>10c</b>
<b>Certo</b>	LIQUID TYPE FRUIT PECTIN 8-oz. bottle	<b>19c</b>
<b>Tomato Juice</b>	3 No. 2 cans	<b>20c</b>
<b>Airway Coffee</b>	Ground to Your Order per lb.	<b>13c</b>
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<b>Tea</b>	Canterbury Black 1/2-lb. box	<b>27c</b>
<b>Grapefruit Juice</b>	Town House 2 No. 2 cans	<b>13c</b>
<b>Del Monte Catsup</b>	14-oz. bottle	<b>12c</b>
<b>Jell-well</b>	Extra Flavor Gelatin Dessert 3 pkgs. for	<b>13c</b>
<b>Mission Tuna</b>	Choice Quality 2 No. 1/2 cans	<b>23c</b>
<b>Snow Flakes</b>	National Biscuits 1-lb. box	<b>15c</b>
<b>Kingsford Corn Starch</b>	16-oz. boxes	<b>15c</b>
<b>Borax</b>	Clean Dirty Hands 2 10-oz. cans	<b>25c</b>
<b>Strongheart Dog Food</b>	3 tall cans	<b>14c</b>
<b>SU-PURB SOAP</b>	Granulated, 24-oz. box condensed, 14-oz. box (Price, .1846; tax, .00554)	<b>19c</b>
<b>ZEE TISSUE</b>	Tinted package 15c or White, of 4 rolls (Price, .1453; tax, .00437)	<b>15c</b>
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<b>P &amp; G SOAP</b>	White naphtha, 5 bars for	<b>14c</b>
<b>OXYDOL SOAP</b>	Granulated for 24-oz. household use, box (Price, .1917; tax, .00583)	<b>20c</b>
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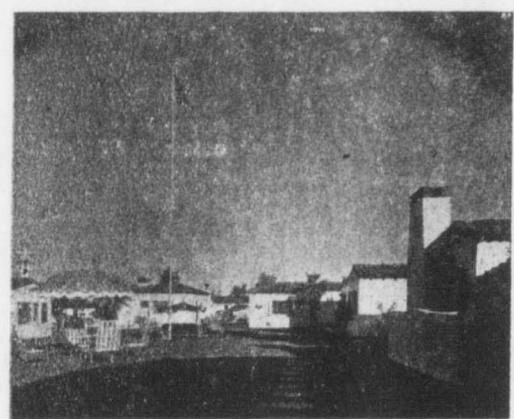
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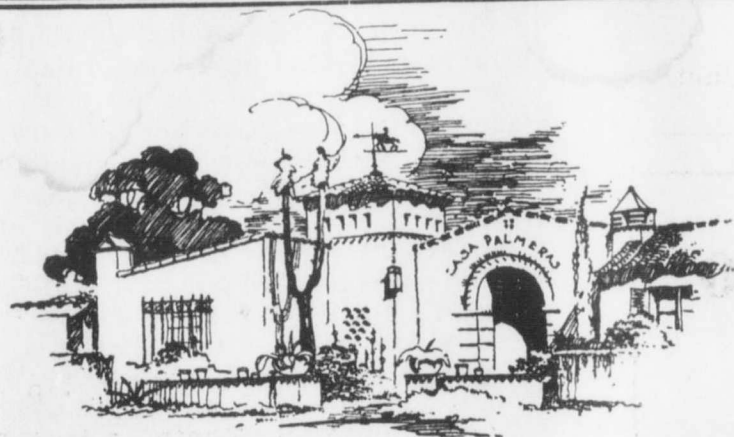
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Palm Springs merchants open their stores early in the fall and keep them open late in the spring, many of them all summer, just to accommodate the people who arrive early and stay late, or those who remain here the year around. Please remember, this is done for the accommodation of the public. Naturally, the local merchants have the right to expect the loyal support of the public throughout the winter months when the volume of business should be large enough to net a profit. IT COSTS NO MORE TO BUY IN PALM SPRINGS, and if the local merchants get the patronage they deserve, they will have more money to contribute toward the improvement of Palm Springs. IT PAYS IN MANY RESPECTS TO BUY IN PALM SPRINGS.

### FOOL'S GOLD

The deceptive glitter of "fool's gold" has led many an inexperienced prospector to grief. The deceptive glitter of the present war boom in this country should not lead us into thinking golden prosperity has dawned. Only peace time markets can produce the pay dirt, the true gold of genuine prosperity. And the United States does have an unparalleled opportunity now to build such markets for itself in the South American countries, now cut off indefinitely from their former source of supplies. By devoting its energies to this Western hemisphere, the United States has not only a good chance of maintaining peace but of winning a measure of true prosperity as well.

### COMMON COUNSEL

For a long time this country of ours has lacked one of the instruments which free men have always and everywhere held fundamental. For a long time there has been no sufficient opportunity for

counsel among the people, no place and method of talk, of exchange of opinion, or parley. I conceive it to be one of the needs of the hour to restore the processes of common counsel. We must learn, we freemen, to meet as our fathers did, somehow, somewhere, for consultation. There must be discussion . . . in which all freely participate . . . The whole purpose of democracy is that we may hold counsel with one another, so as not to depend upon the understanding of one man, but to depend upon the counsel of all.—Woodrow Wilson.

### LITTLE HOME TOWN

One of the finest tributes to life in the little town appeared in Homer D. King's column "Observations," in the Hemet News recently. Since Palm Springs is nothing more than a little town growing up the article fits here. It is reproduced below:

"This piece might be titled 'It Couldn't Happen Here.' In a great American metropolis the other day a hearse was followed by one small Ford in which sat a man driving and three small children, crying piteously.

"Through the crowded streets the small cortege wended its way. Cars of all descriptions whizzed by it, filled with laughing, happy, troubled or careworn men and women, and few of them even glimpsed the tragedy of the hearse and its followers. A father and three small children going to bury the mother, and going alone.

"Such a thing just couldn't happen in Hemet or any of the thousands of other friendly rural communities of this great land of ours.

"In the American small town, no matter how poor or lowly you may be, some kindly souls will always follow you to the grave and some tender hearts will weep with those who love you. These small town folk may be prying and curious and ignorant, but when trouble comes they are always ready to help. Perhaps they are what some city dwellers like to call small-souled individuals, but what does it matter so long as they have such big hearts.

"The cities may be fine places to live in, but they are mighty lonesome places to die in. The people there are so busy in pursuing their petty ambitions, so intent on keeping pace, so engrossed with their trivial occupations that they have no time to stop when death passes. They rush their dead off swiftly to the cemetery and lay them away as quickly as possible. They send their floral offerings to the undertaking parlors and let it go at that. In the cities they say it with flowers; but here in the country we say it with tears.

"It is not that city dwellers have harder hearts. It is only that they have grown so used to rubbing shoulders with tragedy that they ignore it.

"It is indeed regrettable that this mother who went to her grave in the big city the other day, followed only by her broken man and those sobbing children, might not have been privileged to die in the small town where this is written or in one of the other small towns just like it that stretch across the far reaches of the land."

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### Pequegnat Predicts 46,000 Registration

At the present rate of voting registration in his office, County Clerk Gordon A. Pequegnat estimates a total registration of "at least 46,000" in Riverside county for the November 7 special election.

Pequegnat declared that this figure would mark the heaviest registration in county history excepting for last year's general election, and would be the largest figure for a special election "by far."

Today (September 28) is the final date for registration, and Pequegnat said that he believes that his office will continue to receive numerous new registrations daily right up to the deadline.

Persons who did not vote in either the August primary or the general election last year, or who have moved or have since qualified as to age must now register to vote.

### Class Officers at High School Are Announced

High school class elections were held last Friday. At the present time, each class is working to be the first to have all its members buy student body tickets. The goal is 100 percent membership in the Associated Student Body.

The new class officers follow: Senior class: President, Ralph Gilmore; Vice-president, Bill Gibbs; Secretary, Irma James; Treasurer, Bud Foster.

Junior class: President, Allen Hall; Vice-president, Barbara McKinney; Secretary, Margaret Billington; Treasurer, Glenwood Tompkins. Yell leaders, Jane Ewart, Thelma Ryan.

Sophomore class: President, Carol Riley; Vice-president, Bob Guyer; Secretary and treasurer, Dorothy Knupp. Yell leaders, Elaine Nerad, Dorothy Knupp.

Freshman class: President, Carl Gilmore; Vice-president, Doris Neel; Secretary, Joanne Tuttle; Treasurer, Nadine Knupp.

America's future will be determined by the home and the school. The child becomes largely what it is taught, hence we must watch what we teach it, and how we live before it. — Jane Addams.

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### The Public's Health

By R. L. KAUFMAN, M. D.  
County Health Officer

The first day of the opening of schools is one of great excitement and preparation, not only for those youngsters just beginning this new life, emerging from their preschool era, but also for those mothers who are sending their first child to begin his or her education.

The child is awed and possibly a bit fearful. He sees new faces around him, and everything seems strange. He finds that he must make adjustments in his relations with his fellow students. It is here that the tact and diplomacy of the teacher comes into his life. She should be quick to detect personality difficulties in each child, and exercise sympathy and understanding in their solution.

The youngster who has been accustomed to having his own way at home, must be taught to carry on his activities in school on the basis of cooperation. He must apply the rule of equal privileges and duties for all. Some will adjust easily, others will find it difficult. The latter might rebel under this new type of gentle but firm discipline.

The young mother, as well as the teacher, must realize this new problem. She must be able to evaluate fairly any tales that the child may bring home, and refrain from drawing any hasty conclusions. The imagination of children may sometimes reach elastic bounds, and incidents which occur at school may be told to the parent in a biased manner. At this point it would be well for the mother to take the matter up with the school authorities, preferably the teacher, and iron out the solution with her.

Granted that all parents naturally think a great deal of their children, nevertheless, they should not lose sight of the fact that no criticisms against the school should be made on children's stories, without first finding out the facts. They should remember that quite often the school personnel have homes and children of their own, and have the interest of the child uppermost in their minds.

Parent-teacher organizations are very important in maintaining proper relations between the home and the school. It is a fine idea for each parent to become acquainted with the child's teacher right at the beginning. Membership in this group helps to accomplish this end. In those schools where these clubs are strong and well represented by the parents, problems arising therein are most easily solved. It is much better to know your teacher through this group, than

### Sun Shorts

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Peterson are having as their houseguest, Mrs. Bertha L. Mathews, mother of Mrs. Peterson. She will return to her home at Long Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Caldwell, owners of the El Pueblo Apartments, returned to the village for the season.

Captain M. I. Hannahs, owner of the Hannahs Apartments, returned Thursday from Idyllwild where he spent the summer.

Mrs. Edmund Goulding is back and has opened the Goulding's "Little White House" on Ridge Road. Her distinguished son, Edmund, is in New York at the present time.

A large buck was shot by Robert McCoy while he and Frank St. Marie were on a recent hunting trip in the vicinity of Bear.

Nancy Nilon, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Goodloe, is registered at U.C.L.A. for her freshman year. She will live at the Alpha Phi sorority house.

John Vogle, former resident of Palm Springs, visited the village from Balboa Wednesday. Mr. Vogle is the owner of the Balboa Furniture Company at the beach resort.

Bud Perkins, popular entertainer here last season at the Al-giers cocktail lounge of the El Morocco Hotel, was in Palm Springs this week.

### BILLIE LIPPS BACK FROM HOTEL DAY AT FRISCO FAIR

Mrs. Billie Lipps was back in Palm Springs Monday after spending a portion of last week in San Francisco. She attended the Golden Gate International Exposition on "Hotel Day."

While in the bay area Mrs. Lipps visited her daughter, Tommy Ann, who is attending the Anna Head School for Girls at Berkeley.

to wait for your child to complain about something.

Besides, membership in the Parent-Teacher club affords a very enjoyable way of enlarging your social activities. These clubs are your own, and you should join them.

Obedience is what makes government, and not the names by which it is called.—Burke.

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FOR SALE—BEST BUY NEAR PALM SPRINGS. Established cocktail bar and cafe, Highway 99. \$3,000 includes liquor license, fixtures and stock. Some terms to right party. Bell, 55 North First St., Banning. s9

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WORK WANTED—LANDSCAPE GARDENER wants work. Reliable man, year around resident; work guaranteed. Call Mrs. Smith at telephone office before 9 a. m. s8-13p

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If you should see a lot of roller pigeons performing acrobatics above North Hollywood, California, they are probably from the lofts of Jack Stafford, breeder of fancy pigeons. He has trained and bred a remarkable number of prize winning Birmingham Rollers. These versatile birds will do 100 spins in a 45 minute flight. Other birds called parlor rollers, tumble across the ground. They cannot fly.

Although older than the Declaration of Independence, the porcelain finish on an old Swiss stove still has the same high lustre as the porcelain finish on a modern gas range. The old-shaped Swiss antique, with six legs, is covered with scrolls and pictures.

## ENLARGED PROGRAM OF COURSES AT P. S. HIGH SCHOOL

Palm Springs high school finished its second week today with 120 students in attendance. This represents an increase over last year of 10%. As the season opens more inquiries are being received, and it is expected that a gradual growth will be experienced throughout the year.

All classes are well under way and the students are enjoying the enlarged program of courses open to them. The new social arts curriculum, which is planned to assist students in developing an appreciation of the art of every-day living and in acquiring knowledge and training that will contribute to a satisfying adjustment of personal, family, and community interests, particularly those related to the modern home, is proving to be of real value to the students.

This program is operated the fourth period, at which time courses are offered in household arts, business arts, household mechanics, landscape design, world cultures, journalism, music arts, dramatic arts, and speech arts.

The household mechanics class has already finished several construction jobs such as new, larger lockers for the football players.

The landscape design class is planning to improve the campus through a program of continuous development of plantings that will beautify the high school grounds.

The journalism class is working on the school paper and expects to have the first issue of the Smoke Signal go to press next week.

The speech arts class is forming a Junior Postmasters' Club and plans a semester of organized speech activities.

All the classes in the social arts program are busily engaged in practical activities that are planned to result in the individual growth of students in the business of successful living.

**ATTORNEY THERIEAU OPENS OFFICE IN EL PASEO BUILDING**

Attorney Eugene Therieau has opened his law office in the El Paseo Building for the season; this year, however, his office has been moved from the upstairs of the building to the El Paseo patio. He occupies the office where Dr. V. A. Chapman was located last season.

Mrs. Therieau and baby, Eugene, returned last Sunday from Idyllwild, where they had spent the summer. The Therieaus have taken a house on El Alameda in the La Rambla tract.

**M. L. PETERSON MOTORS TO L. A. ON C. OF C. BUSINESS**

M. L. Peterson motored to Los Angeles Thursday morning to confer with Charles B. Hinkle, president of the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce, on important chamber business.

Mr. Peterson will return to the village sometime this evening. Mr. Hinkle is expected to return for the season this week end.

## Junior City Organized by Students

The new Nellie N. Coffman Junior High School will be governed by a junior city organization, patterned after the local city government, and Billy Foster has been elected as first mayor. The election was held this week by the students.

Junior City is being set up along lines very similar to the city of Palm Springs with various departments, etc. Officers that have been elected are as follows: Helen Louise Williams, council secretary; Charles Riley, Donna Crockett, Pete Herrera, Bob Neel, Kathryn Roberts and Joe Sandeffer, councilman; and Bob Geisler, commissioner of police.

Other departments corresponding to those of the city are being organized. Police officers are Lyman Lambeth, Norma Jean Mabry, Kathryn Croft, Mary Yoder, Junior Thompson and Roaul Prieta.

A court of justice will be organized later.

## 1940 Chevrolet Here Oct. 14 Says Jack Moss

The new 1940 Chevrolet will be on display at Moss Brothers Chevrolet Company, 1608 North Palm Canyon Drive, starting Saturday, October 14, it was announced today by genial C. A. "Jack" Moss, popular manager of the local agency.

Moss Brothers' Chevrolet was open all summer again, as usual. Both Kenny Paul, mechanic, and Manager "Jack" were in the village all summer.

Moss Brothers' operates a large used car lot just south of their garage and filling station.

## INDIAN STORE WILL OPEN SOON

Harold Wright and V. A. Peterson, who lease and operate the grocery department of The Indian Store, corner of Indian avenue and Andreas Road, are back in Palm Springs and are remodeling and redecorating the interior of the store. They also operate the produce department at The Indian Store.

James Connolly is the owner of the meat department at The Indian Store. Jimmy Childress is manager of this department.

Messrs. Wright and Peterson spent the summer at Balboa Beach, where they operate the Wright's Market.

Other employees at The Indian Store include the following: "Gep" Geffert and Sam Lewis.

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## Cathedral City

By W. R. HILLERY

September has been a month of returning owners and their labor on their properties; cleaning, painting, and additions and general improvements, but October will usher in the seasonal activity, with winter guests settling themselves for a pleasant period on the desert.

Community activity starts with the first meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday evening, 7:30, at the Town Hall, and everyone living in the village is invited to drop in and listen to the plans that will be formulated to start the program. Topics most likely to receive attention will concern the fire equipment, sanitation and a clean-up campaign, zoning, public library, trails, advertising, improvements to the Town Hall, and such other matters as may be suggested.

If residents take an active interest, we won't hear the complaint that a few people are running the town.

Saturday evening, September 23, the formal opening of the Totem Pole Cafe for the season took place, and considering the time of the season, it was a tribute to the Wheelers, who operate the cafe, that the counter and tables were all filled several times—and what a dinner! The decorations added to the enjoyment of the tasty meals, and everyone appeared to be in a most happy mood.

This past week was home-coming for many regulars. They were Mrs. Elizabeth S. Doane, who is preparing her Smoke Tree Lodge for the season; John Nachant, who operates the Sunkist Court (and "Jack" is a busy man getting his place ready); William G. and Mrs. Hagen, with their three houses; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weeber, and their three houses; Mr. and Mrs. William Chance, who operate the Desert View Court; R. J. Landucci, who was here just long enough to inspect his new dwelling, and it is a very creditable house for the Village; Mrs. James Wolseth, who was making plans to reconquer her group of dwellings that have been operated as the Desert Health School for several seasons and will now be operated as a guest house by Mr. and Mrs. Wolseth. The Wolseths will move out to the desert about November first. C. W. Larrison has the contract to move one of the structures on the premises to a different location on the same grounds.

Agnes Pelton, the artist, has returned from Idyllwild, very much improved in strength, and to her collection of beautiful desert scenes she has added several paintings of scenes in and about Strawberry Valley, which is the charming setting for the Idyllwild community.

An exhibit of works of Agnes Pelton will no doubt be shown in Palm Springs at an early date, when her latest efforts will be on display.

Last week we "slipped" when we referred to Mrs. Frank Reed's son as "Blake Reed." Blake's name is Bevel, and he is not a newcomer here—in fact, as an employee of the Bank of America he has taken a summer in its

stride and he belongs to that select number that is referred to as the Valiants of the Valley; and a mighty fine young man is Blake Bevel.

Do you like to hike? Then go to the lost mine of Cathedral Canyon on Sunday morning.

Drive to the entrance of the Canyon, just opposite the home-stead cabin of Frank Harrington. Park your car there, and take the trail leading up the east side of the canyon wall. The start up the trail will be made at six o'clock, and the guide will leave on the dot.

Men, women, and children may make the trip, and it should not take more than a little over an hour to reach the mine. There is no charge, fee, or cost of any kind, nor responsibility of guide or condition of trail. You do not have to carry your breakfast up to the mine; but please do not stand around and look hungry while the rest eat, if you do not take food.

C. W. "Slim" Larrison will leave earlier with a few seasoned hikers to locate a new trail near Goat Mountain, to reach the mine so that in the future those wishing to make the trip may go one way and return the other.

Finger bowls are optional, but pack your own breakfast, and that should include food and utensils, water, and some fuel.

The lost mine, now known as the "Eloisa", has an interesting history that is only half known by local residents, but at the mine the story will be told, and a search will be made in the vicinity for a missing bit of a prospector's outfit that is known to have been there not many years ago.

Everyone is welcome.

## LOCAL BOWLERS TRAVEL TO REDLANDS AND SAN BERNARDINO

This Sunday the Palm Springs bowling team travels to the San Bernardino Valley for two games. In the afternoon they tangle with a "Berdo" team in the San Bernardino Bowling Academy. In the evening they play Redlands at Redlands.

## The Desert Prophets

tell us the foot - loose  
 wealth will crowd us this  
 winter.

Rents and values are not  
 up yet. We have some nice  
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## INDIANOYA OPENS FOR SEASON

Indianoya, well known local Indian trading post for many years, opened this week. The Indianoya is located on Palm Canyon Drive, next to the Royal Palms Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Watson, owners of the Indian handicraft shop, vacationed all summer at their lovely ocean front home in Long Beach. Their son, Fred Watson, also enjoyed the summer there.

Mrs. Altha Jane Wilson, daughter of the Watsons, spent the summer in the Indian country of Arizona and New Mexico buying Indian merchandise for the Indianoya. Her daughter, Drusilla, summered in Flagstaff, Arizona; and little John Wilson stayed in Long Beach with his grandparents.

Billy Wilson work this summer on a huge potato ranch near Topoka, Kansas, belonging to his uncle. The last part of the summer Billy spent working in a filling station at Painted Desert, Arizona.

## Season Gets....

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ments on Indian avenue has been open for many days and by last week she had nine units rented for the season.

The Sunshine Court will open next week, according to Manager C. S. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Shannon's exclusive Vaughan Arms apartments on Arenas Road will open October 1.

Single and double apartments are now available at moderate rates in the Pacific Apartments on the second floor of the Pacific building on North Palm Canyon Drive.

Mrs. Stella V. Rooke's new Casa del Camino Apartments on Camino del Norte are now open for business. There is also an entrance to this bungalow court on Palm Canyon Drive near the El Mirador.

Casa Palmeras, redecorated and refurbished, is now open under the new management of Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt. This establishment boasts Oriental rugs and Venetian blinds throughout.

The Plaza Apartments located in the Plaza, famous shopping district, are now open under the able management of Realtor Robert Ransom, developer. Caliente Cottages on South Indian avenue is open, managed by Holt K. Clarke.

Tennis Ace H. Lawson Plymire's Mira Monte at the corner of Indian avenue and Ramon Road opens October 1. An opening party will be held at Mira Monte about the middle of October.

Tom and Billie Lipps' popular desert hotel, the Del Tahquitz, on South Palm Canyon Drive, will open for the season on October 15. The Del Tahquitz dining room will open on November 10.

The Desert Inn will open the last week in October. The Deep Well Guest Ranch will open on October 14, the Smoke Tree Ranch on the 27th of October or the first of November.

The El Mirador and Oasis Hotels will not open until Nov. 8.

The Nooks Apartments on North Indian avenue, under the new ownership of Mrs. Martha Forward of San Diego, opened last week for the season.

The Wayside Inn on South Palm Canyon Drive is already open.

## BOYD AND CLARK MOTOR TO L. A. ON CITY BUSINESS

Mayor Philip Boyd and John Porter Clark of the city planning commission spent two days in Los Angeles this week and while in the city called at the head office of the Southern California Gas Company to discuss the "gas tank" problem.

Messrs. Boyd and Clark motored to Los Angeles on Monday morning and returned to the desert Wednesday. Mayor Boyd states that he spent one day attending to city business and one day attending to personal business. They stayed at the Biltmore Hotel.

Mayor Boyd and John Porter Clark are members of a committee making a study of ways and means of bettering what some call the "gas tank" problem.

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## Reid Hospital To Open October 15

According to word received here Wednesday from Estes Park, Colorado, Dr. Henry S. Reid, prominent Palm Springs physician and citizen and owner of the well known Reid Clinic and Hospital on North Palm Canyon Drive, accompanied by Mrs. Reid and their son, Harry, will arrive in Southern California about October 1. The Reid Hospital will open for the season October 15.

Dr. and Mrs. Reid and their son summered at Estes Park, where Dr. Reid has a fine practice from June 1 to October 1. Harry Reid returned to Estes Park recently from a three-weeks motor trip to New York and Canada. This year Harry is a senior at Stanford University, where he is a Phi Delta Theta.

The hospital and office building at the Reid Clinic and Hospital are now undergoing a number of improvements. Both buildings and grounds are being thoroughly cleaned and the lawns are being planted.

Both Dr. and Mrs. Reid are prominent in village affairs. He is active in both the Lions Club and Masonic Luncheon Club. Mrs. Reid is a prominent member of the Palm Springs Woman's Club, being corresponding secretary and a member of the board of directors. She was a president of the former Palm Springs Forum.

Mrs. Inez Akers, office nurse for Doctor Reid for many years, will be back again this year. She was in Dr. Reid's office at Estes Park all summer.

## Bishop Buddy To Address Lions Next Week

The Palm Springs Lions Club will launch its activities of this season next week when the first regular luncheon meeting will be held Thursday noon, Oct. 5, at the Palm Springs Hotel. The Most Reverend Charles F. Buddy, D.D., Bishop of the San Diego diocese of the Catholic church will deliver the principle address.

The board of directors of the Lions Club will hold its first meeting of the season Tuesday morning, 7:30 o'clock, around the breakfast table at the Desert Grill.

The last "summer unofficial" luncheon meeting of the Lions Club was held this Thursday noon at the Palm Springs Drug with about 25 members in attendance. The Lions ate there all summer. Paul Murphy, who operates the Palm Springs Drug Fountain, bid the Lions farewell by presenting each with a moulded ice cream lion at the end of the meal. The little lions were very well done. They were made of vanilla ice cream with a chocolate mane and tail.

## House of Murphy Is Cool Place To Stay

One of the coolest places on the desert is Miss Billie Murphy's House of Murphy, hotel and apartments, since the new, modern air-conditioning system has been installed at that hostelry. As Miss Murphy so aptly put it to this reporter, "Here you will find cool sea breezes right on the desert—direct from our air conditioner."

A large addition was built to the House of Murphy this summer. This addition contains seven beautiful single and double apartments, furnished in the modern mood. The blonde Swedish furniture was custom built and blends perfectly with the design of the building.

A roof garden and sunbaths, where badminton can be enjoyed in the healthful rays of the desert sun, has been constructed on the roof of the new apartment addition.

Howard Young, talented young singer and entertainer, is the new assistant at the House of Murphy. He comes here from New Orleans and has only been in California for about five months. Since coming to Southern California, however, he has been featured on the air with Stewart Hamlin and has been an entertainer at the Strand Theatre in Long Beach.

Young states that he has been with Ted Lewis and his band. For two years he was a singer over CSB. He at one time had a band known as "Howard Young and His Hollywood Collegians."

## "GOLDEN BOY" AT PLAZA THEATRE TONIGHT AND SATURDAY



WILLIAM HOLDEN, ADOLPHE MENJOU, BARBARA STANWYCK

"Golden Boy," Columbia's screen version of Clifford Odets' sensational stage success, opens tonight at the Plaza Theatre. The film, a stirring romantic drama of a boy with the soul of a musician and the mauling fists of a champion ringman, stars Barbara Stanwyck, Adolphe Menjou and William Holden. Rouben Mamoulian directed "Golden Boy."

## BELLE OF YUKON IS NOW AUNT KATE

GLAMOROUS days of the Alaskan gold rush are recalled by Barrett Willoughby in the September issue of Cosmopolitan with a verbal profile of the most glamorous figure in old Dawson history, Klondyke Kate, the Belle of the Yukon, sweetheart of the Sourdoughs. Kathleen Rockwell, the original Klondyke Kate, is now Mrs. John Matson. She lives in a modest home in Oregon, noted for its hospitality to people down on their luck, and she is known all up and down the Pacific Coast as Aunt Kate.

Mrs. Matson was honored recently by the Alaska-Yukon Sourdoughs on the occasion of their thirty-fifth annual reunion in Portland. According to Mr. Willoughby, she is a pleasant, gracious woman in her early fifties with dark blue eyes and a heart-shaped face. The mop of red-gold hair which made her famous as a dance-hall girl is tinged with gray, but her figure retains the grace and poise of the Savoy dancer.

"My father was Judge F. A. Bettis of Spokane, Washington," Mrs. Matson said in her interview. "When I was a girl in convent school, my mother and I lost him, our home and

our money, all at once. I didn't know how to do a single thing to earn money, but I loved to sing and dance and make people laugh. To my mother's horror, I got a job with a chorus in a production going on the road. When we got to Seattle, everybody was talking about the Klondyke. I took a job with the Savoy Theatre Company and headed north."

Conditions in Dawson were considerably different than movie productions lead one to suppose, Mrs. Matson indicates. "Our usual costume on the dance floor was a white, starched shirtwaist with long sleeves and a choker collar, a long dark skirt, belted with a golden belt. For special occasions we wore evening gowns. A Frenchman made two trips to Paris every year to buy frocks for us girls. The prices ranged from \$500 to \$2000. If I had appeared on the Savoy stage with bare legs or even a bare back, the Northwest Mounted Police would have run me in. Speaking of legs, women didn't have them in the Klondyke. We had limbs and they were encased in tights and ruffles."

Klondyke Kate was the miner's favorite and received many fabulous presents from them. One gold evening bag, made in the shape of a rose and out of solid gold, weighed so much that it made her lopsided when she walked. She stayed in Dawson four years and returned to the states with a sizable fortune. Her natural generosity and naive trust soon resulted in the dissipation of her wealth, as she staked friends indiscriminately and usually lost. She married John Matson thirty-three years after she first saw him in the Savoy in Dawson. He had fallen in love with her at first sight but was too timid to push his suit until many years later when their paths recrossed.



AUNT KATE MATSON

## DANCE TONIGHT GRAMMAR SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

A dance, sponsored by the junior class, will be held in the grammar school auditorium tonight, Friday, Sept. 29. Music is scheduled to start at eight o'clock.

The price of admission is 25 cents each or 40 cents per couple.

## DESERT GRILL AND CHI CHI BAR TO OPEN SATURDAY

Irwin Schulman is opening his Desert Grill and Chi Chi Bar tomorrow, Saturday, for the season with "Big Jack" Lasley back again behind the bar. The Desert Grill will make a specialty of breakfasts this season, according to owner Schulman.

The interior of the establishment has been redecorated, and a unique metal awning, that will shed the rain, has been installed over the sidewalk cafe.

Mr. Schulman states that he enjoyed a successful season at Catalina.

## SRA LABORERS PUT TO WORK ON STREETS OF VILLAGE

Four SRA men went to work last Saturday, cleaning up the streets of Palm Springs and at the present time are busy cleaning away brush and rubbish along the edges of Palm Canyon Drive. The city hopes to be able to keep these state relief workmen busy for several months. They are working under the supervision of City Street Superintendent G. K. Sanborn.

An extended clean-up project for these men has been mapped out by Mr. Sanborn. They will do the various jobs in the order of their importance. First they will clean away the brush, weeds and rubbish along Palm Canyon

## Desert Furniture Co. Opens for Season

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Waskow have returned from Balboa and have opened their Desert Furniture Company on North Palm Canyon Drive for the season. This will be the Waskows' seventh season in business in Palm Springs.

The Waskows summered at Balboa Beach, where they opened their new Ed Waskow Furniture Studio. This establishment was so well received, according to Mr. Waskow, that it will be kept open all winter. Next spring Mr. and Mrs. Waskow will move their beach store to a new location, next to the Lido Theatre of Balboa.

The Desert Furniture Company is the local General Electric dealer. Mr. Waskow states that he has also received the franchise to handle the famous Biglow-Sanford Carpets in Palm Springs. The Desert Furniture Company will do upholstering, according to Mr. Waskow.

## First Meeting Woman's Club Monday

The first meeting of this season of the Palm Springs Woman's Club has been called for Monday afternoon, October 2, to be held in the social hall of the Community church. The ladies are scheduled to meet at 2:30 o'clock.

The executive board of the Woman's Club will meet at 10 o'clock in the morning of the same day at the home of Mrs. George Roberson.

The Palm Springs Woman's Club is starting its second season of existence. In the short time that the ladies have been organized they have done big things. They have a strong membership of well over 100, and their beautiful club house on Maristo Road is rapidly nearing completion.

The Woman's Club will meet on the first and third Monday of every month throughout the season, starting this coming Monday. The organization will probably meet in its new club house before the end of October.

## Local Bowlers Split Doubleheader With L. A. Teams

In a doubleheader at the Palm Springs Bowling Academy last Sunday afternoon, Palm Springs defeated Joe ("There They Go") Hernandez' bowling team from Warner Brothers' "52 alleys" by 34 pins.

Bowling for Palms Springs were Jerry Sanborn, M. McCutchen, Blake Bevell, Percy Lafferty and Bill Seaton.

A Palm Springs women's team lost by a wide margin to Palms Royal Frocks, a women's team from Los Angeles. Ladies bowling for Palm Springs were the following: Bobbie Seaton, Jane Charlie, Juanita Fuller, Margie Morris and Billie Tomlinson.

## Bill Leonesio Attends Fire Chiefs' Conclave

Fire Chief Bill Leonesio returned last Sunday from San Francisco, where he attended the joint annual convention of the Pacific Coast Association of Fire Chiefs and the International Association of Fire Chiefs, Sept. 18-23 inclusive. Chief Leonesio made the trip via rail.

Chief Taylor of the Riverside city fire department and Chief Leonesio of Palm Springs were the only delegates from Riverside county at the convention.

While at the bay city Mr. Leonesio took in the Exposition. He said that it was extremely hot all the time he was in the bay area—never once did he sleep under blankets.

## PALM SPRINGS MAN ATTENDS MEETING OF FORD SALESMEN

Jack Lambeth, in charge of new car sales at Schilling Motor Sales, Ford dealers of Palm Springs, motored to Long Beach Wednesday to attend a Ford salesmen's meeting and to see the 1940 Ford models. The meeting was held at the Ford Motor Company assembly plant.

The Palm Springs man traveled to the coast with a group of Ford salesmen from Banning.

## NEXT WEEK IS LETTER WRITING WEEK

October 1st to 7th has been designated Letter Writing Week by the Post Office Department. Postmaster Ryland M. Gorham has been so notified. This national event was inaugurated in 1938 and the response was so great and so surprising to the gentlemen in Washington that it bids fair to become an annual occurrence. Not the least of the benefits gained by the nation from this idea was that intangible thing that unifies and cements a nation into one harmonious whole, the tie that binds a family to each member and each member to his family.

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